

Dear Alice -  
The day is beautiful and dad has the lawn mowed and it needs it again as it was so long, but we had to wait until it was dry before cutting it. Mike is here this week-end and Alissa stayed over night Friday night so they could go out.

I am very excited about selling the cabin and Aunt Stella and I are going to Exumelaw tomorrow to sign the papers. A girl in her 30's bought it, even tho it has no water and the floor in the out-house is ready to cave in. I am going to take the old buffet and coffee table and ice box. you can plan on being taken out to some special place for dinner on the cabin.

Mary's car still isn't fixed as the trouble can't be found so she has the station wagon. Her car runs along fine and then suddenly stops and then in a short time starts again. The gas tank and every thing else has been cleaned and checked.

Little Charlie (25 yrs and 6'2) is living with Benson as he is working at Todd ship yards. Aunt Stella gets up at 5 A.M. to fix his breakfast.

Vickie, I want to tell you that I and of course Bruce, think you are wonderful and we are very lucky you are our daughter-in-law. The reason I want you to know this

And I hope you already do, is because  
Mrs. Loney doesn't think that much of  
Mary. It doesn't bother Mary, but I  
will tell you about it when I see  
you. It's nothing serious, really funny,  
but a little maddening - to me at least.  
Jimmy, we also think you are  
wonderful, and we are lucky to have  
you also.

Love, Mom